finally appeared, it was worth the time and effort of the editors. It is for sale at \$10.00 a copy at the American Historical Association, 400 H Street, S.E., Washington, D. C. The contribution of the Hall of Records to this work was, in addition to monetary, the transcription of the original, which was supervised by Mr. Skordas, the biographical material of the Prince George's County Court members, supplied by Mrs. Jacobsen, and the proper name index, compiled by Mrs. Carr. Mrs. Carr read proof on the Introduction, the subject index and the proper name index, in addition to being helpful otherwise.

COUNTY LAND RECORDS PROJECT

Fiscal year 1964 marked the second full year that we have had a Photographer primarily occupied with the microfilming of county records, and it also marked the completion of the County Land Records Project begun in 1955.

The field work in the last of the twenty-three counties was completed, and many retakes, indexes, and other miscellaneous records were also done. This left only Baltimore City, which progressed from 1910 to 1920, still to be finished to give us microfilm copies of all the land records of the state recorded from the beginning of each county to 1949. After that date, microfilm copies are regularly provided by the Clerks of Court to the Land Office.

At the beginning of the year, Somerset and St. Mary's Counties were yet to be done and Montgomery was to be finished. The latter was done by the Clerk of the Court who had taken responsibility for it from the first. Somerset and St. Mary's were our responsibility. The Baltimore City project is a separate project under the direction of the Clerk of the Superior Court. It is our hope that it too will be completed in several years and when it is, we shall take note of it, otherwise the Land Records Project will no longer appear in the *Annual Report*.

| County Land Recor | ds Series Compl | eted Prior to | Fiscal Year 1964 |
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| Allegany | 1851-1949 | |
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| Anne Arundel | | |
| Baltimore | 1851-1949 | (The records in Towson begin in 1851) |
| Calvert | 1882-1949 | (The earlier records were lost in |
| | | courthouse fire) |
| Caroline | 1851-1949 | • |
| Carroll | 1851-1949 | |
| Cecil | 1851-1949 | |